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FM AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3994

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UNCLAS CANBERRA 5715

FOR USDA

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAGR, AS

SUBJ: INVITATION TO USDA OFFICIAL

1. CSIRO DIVISIONS OF LAND USE RESEARCH AND OF PLANT INDUSTRY WISH TO INVITE DR. J. T. RITCHIE, USDA CONSERVATION RESEARCH CENTER AT TEMPLE, TEXAS, TO SPEND UP TO 12 MONTHS WORKING WITH THEM IN AUSTRALIA. CSIRO HAS ASKED THAT EMBASSY TRANSMIT THIS INVITATION TO USDA. RITCHIE KNOWS OF INVITATION.

2. INVITATION ASSUMES RITCHIE WOULD CONTINUE TO RECEIVE FULL USDA SALARY DURING AUSTRALIA STAY BUT WOULD ALSO RECEIVE UP TO A\$3,500 (APPROXIMATELY US\$5,200) FROM CSIRO FOR FARES AND LIVING EXPENSES IN CANBERRA. PROPOSED VISIT WOULD OCCUR IN CY 1975. CSIRO INTERESTED IN RITCHIE'S EXPERTISE IN DEVELOPING MATHEMATICAL MODELS FOR PREDICTING ROOT WATER UPTAKE AND GRAIN SORGHUM GROWTH AND YIELD AS WELL AS GRASSLANDS WATER BALANCE.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE TRANSMIT INVITATION TO USDA AND ADVISE EMBASSY WHETHER DR. RITCHIE CAN ACCEPT.
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